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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In the application of:

David W. SCOTT and Elias T. ZAMBIDIS

Serial No.: 09/160,076

Filing Date: September 24, 1998

For: TOLERANCE FUSION PROTEINS OF  
IMMUNOGLOBULINS AND METHODS  
FOR INDUCING AND MAINTAINING  
TOLERANCE

Examiner: M. Wilson

Group Art Unit: 1632

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

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Dear Sir:

This response accompanies a Request for Continued Examination. A final office action was mailed on September 26, 2002 (Paper No. 39), for which a response was due on December 26, 2002. A Notice of Appeal was filed on March 26, 2003 with a petition and fee for a 3 month extension of time, setting the time for filing an Appeal Brief to expire on May 26, 2003. A one-month extension of time is requested to extend the time for filing an Appeal Brief to June 26, 2003. Thus, this Request for Continued Examination and Amendment is timely filed.

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**REQUEST  
FOR  
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)  
TRANSMITTAL**

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<i>Application Number</i>	09/160,076
<i>Filing Date</i>	September 24, 1998
<i>First Named Inventor</i>	David W. SCOTT
<i>Group Art Unit</i>	1632
<i>Examiner Name</i>	M. Wilson
<i>Attorney Docket No.</i>	308072000110

**This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.**

Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

**1. Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114**

- a.  Previously submitted
  - i.  Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_  
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
  - ii.  Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
  - iii.  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- b.  Enclosed
  - i.  Amendment/Reply (28 pages)
  - ii.  Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
  - iii.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
  - iv.  Other \_\_\_\_\_ Return receipt postcard; Fee Transmittal – in duplicate (2 pages)

**2. Miscellaneous**

- a.  Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)
- b.  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**3. Fees** The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17 (e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

- a.  The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 03-1952. Fee Transmittal form (PTO/SB/17) is attached to this submission in duplicate.
  - i.  RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e) : 06/03/2003 AWONDAF1 00000154 031952 09160076
  - ii.  Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17) 01 FC:2801 375.00 CH
  - iii.  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- b.  Check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ enclosed
- c.  Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed)

**SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED**

Name (Print/Type)	Cara M. Coburn	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	46,631
Signature	<u>Cara Coburn</u>	Date	May 30, 2003

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# FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2003

Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

 X Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$ 430.00)

Complete if Known

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## METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

 Check  Credit Card  Money Order  Other  None  
 Deposit Account

Deposit Account Number 03-1952

Deposit Account Name Morrison &amp; Foerster LLP

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)

 Charge fee(s) indicated below  Credit any overpayments  
 Charge any additional fee(s) during the pendency of this application  
 Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee

to the above-identified deposit account.

## FEE CALCULATION (continued)

## 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Fee Code ( \$ )	Fee (\$) 130	Small Entity Fee Code ( \$ )	Fee (\$) 65	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.	
1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	55.00
1252	410	2252	205	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	930	2253	465	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,450	2254	725	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	1,970	2255	985	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	320	2401	160	Notice of Appeal	
1402	320	2402	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	280	2403	140	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,300	2453	650	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	1,300	2501	650	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502	470	2502	235	Design issue fee	
1503	630	2503	315	Plant issue fee	
1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	750	2809	375	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
1810	750	2810	375	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
1801	750	2801	375	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	375.00
1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
Other fee (specify)					

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$ 0.00)

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